

children with early, serious conduct problems. Much of this work has been done over the past 27 years as part of the Fast Track Project. John has been a Senior Investigator and PI of a number federal grants that have been obtained regarding Fast Track. In addition, Dr. Lochman is a fellow of the American Psychological Association (3 divisions), the American Academy of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology, and the Association for Psychological Science. He has served in leadership roles, including President of the American Board of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology and the Society for Child and Family Policy and Practice (Division 37) of the American Psychological Association.

Dr. Lochman earned both a doctorate in clinical psychology in 1977, and a master degree in psychology in 1973 from University of Connecticut. He earned Bachelor of Science degree in psychology from Purdue University in 1971.



Sharlene A. Wolchik, PhD

This year, we are pleased to present the **SPR Fellow** to **Dr. Sharlene A. Wolchik**, Professor in the Department of Psychology at Arizona State University. Over the last 25 years, she has developed and evaluated the New Beginnings Program, and preventive intervention for divorced families. Dr. Wolchik is interested in understanding the variability in children's response to two types of at-risk situations: parental divorce and parental death. She conducts research that identifies moderators and mediators of children's adjustment to these situations and designs and experimentally evaluates theory-based preventive interventions for children and parents who experience these stressors. She also conducts longitudinal studies of the long-term effects of preventive interventions for children of divorce.

Dr. Wolchik has conducted original, groundbreaking work on parent training, social support, treatment of eating disorders, locus of control, and coping. Her most important research has focused on promoting mental health, especially for children. She developed and evaluated successful preventive interventions for children exposed to divorce and bereavement.

In addition, Dr. Wolchik has an extensive publication record with over 40 chapters and over 120 publications in the most competitive journals. She has had continuous federal grant support since 1983 for the development, delivery, and evaluation of some of our most important prevention interventions, especially for children and families under stress. Dr. Wolchik is one of the most productive and important scholars in prevention science. Dr. Wolchik has won numerous awards. She is a fellow of Division 27 of the American Psychological Association. She received the Stanley Cohen Distinguished Research Award for her outstanding research and achievements in the field of family and divorce. She served on the NIMH Child and Adolescent Risk and Prevention Grant Review Panel from 1992 to 1997 as well as serving on many ad hoc review panels such as for the National Science Foundation, W.T. Grant Foundation, and foreign government review committees.

Dr. Wolchik earned both a doctorate and a master's degree in clinical psychology at Rutgers University in 1981 and 1979. She earned Bachelor of Arts degree in psychology from Vassar College in 1975.